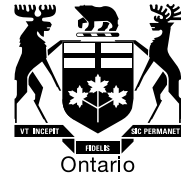


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April 12, 2016

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Dear Mr. Vellone:

**Re: Welland Hydro-Electric System Corp.  
Motion to Review and Vary OEB Decision EB-2012-0173  
OEB File Number EB-2016-0147**

This will acknowledge receipt on April 7, 2016 of your motion to review and vary the OEB's Decision and Order dated March 21, 2013 in Welland Hydro's 2013 Cost of Service Rate Application, EB-2012-0173. The OEB has assigned File Number EB-2016-0147 to this matter. Please refer to this file number in all future correspondence to the OEB regarding this matter. All information related to this matter must be filed with the Board Secretary.

The OEB is currently conducting a preliminary review of your application. Upon completion of this review the OEB will communicate the next steps in this proceeding.

Please direct any questions relating to this application to Martha McQuat, Project Advisor at 416-440-7606 or [martha.mcouat@ontarioenergyboard.ca](mailto:martha.mcouat@ontarioenergyboard.ca).

Yours truly,

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